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Docket No. 12468-US-PA
Application No.: 10/709,036**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re PATENT APPLICATION of

Applicant : Tsao et al.
Application No. : 10/709,036
Filed : April 8, 2004
For : Laser Annealing Apparatus and Laser Annealing Process
Art Unit : 1725
Examiner : HEINRICH, SAMUEL M.**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir,

In response to the Office Action dated April 2, 2007 (Paper No. 20070329), transmitted herewith please find the Response in (7) pages.

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Thank you for your attention and assistance in the subject matter. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

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AMENDMENT

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

The Office Action dated April 2, 2007 has been carefully considered. In response thereto, please consider the following remarks.